(j) If any person fails to pay an assessment of a civil penalty under this section after the order making the assessment has become a final order, and if such person has not filed a petition for judicial review in accordance with paragraph (i) of this section, or, after a court, in an action brought under this section, has entered a final judgment in favor of the Secretary, the Court shall have jurisdiction to award the amount assessed plus interest assessed from the date of the expiration of the 90-day period referred to in paragraph (i) of this section. The amount of any penalty, as finally determined, may be deducted from any sum owing by the United States to the person charged.

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### §241.52 Criminal penalties.

Any person who commits an act for which a civil penalty is provided at 30 U.S.C. 1719 shall be subject to criminal penalties as provided at 30 U.S.C. 1720.

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## §241.53 Assessments for nonperformance.

Administrative costs arising out of certain defaults or violations of orders requiring the performance of certain duties by lessees, as set forth in the regulations in this part, constitute loss or damage to the United States the amount of which is difficult or impracticable of ascertainment. Therefore, the following amounts shall be deemed to cover such loss or damage and shall be payable upon receipt of notice from the Associate Director of such loss or damage.

- (a) For failure to comply with a written order or instructions of the Associate Director, \$250 if compliance is not obtained within the time specified.
- (b) For failure to file sales contracts or division orders as required by lease terms, \$25 for each violation, and for failure to submit pipeline run tickets, or other proper evidence of disposal as required by these regulations, \$10 for each violation.

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### **Subpart A—General Provisions**

### §243.1 Procedure.

Except as may otherwise be provided in part 241 hereof, an order or decision issued under regulations administered by the Royalty Management Program may be appealed in accordance with the provisions of part 290 of this chapter.

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